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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	Board of Examiners in Optometry
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Thursday, February 28 at 4:30 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B, Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED:	

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Kevin Brown, Professional Member, President
Dr. Katherine Miller, Professional Member, Vice President
Dr. Sonja Biddle, Professional Member
Joseph Nestlerode, Public Member, Secretary

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Jennifer Singh, Deputy Attorney General
Lisa Smith, Administrative Specialist II

MEMBERS ABSENT

None

OTHERS PRESENT

None

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Brown called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes of the December 13, 2018 meeting. Dr. Brown made a motion, seconded by Dr. Miller, to approve the minutes as presented. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Internship Completion Approval

Dr. Biddle made a motion, seconded by Dr. Brown to approve the Internship Completion forms submitted by Kristen Vincent, Lila Goodwin and Victoria Dzurinko. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

The Board reviewed the additional documentation submitted by Dr. Dean Wright. After a brief discussion, Dr. Brown, made a motion, seconded by Mr. Nestlerode to approve Dr. Wright for licensure by Reciprocity. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Ratification of CE Course(s) Request(s)

Dr. Biddle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Nestlerode, to approve the following continuing education courses as presented:

1. Paula Ko - Gene Therapy and Retinal Diseases and A New Frontier and Preventing Diabetic Eye Disease – February 28, 2019
2. 58th Annual Heart of America Eye Care Congress – February 15-17, 2019

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (FOR DISCUSSION ONLY)

The Board reviewed and discussed the correspondence submitted by ARBO and NBEO.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment at the February meeting.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, April 11, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. in Conference Room B, 2nd floor, Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Dr. Biddle made a motion, seconded by Dr. Brown, to adjourn the meeting. By unanimous vote, the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 5:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Lisa Smith
Administrative Specialist II

The notes of this meeting are not intended to be a verbatim record of the topics that were presented or discussed. They are for the use of the Board members and the public in supplementing their personal notes and recall for presentations.